## **FORM PTO-1083**

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENT Washington, DC 20231

In re application of:

Ronald B. MILLER, et al.

Serial No.:

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Filed:

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For:

PHARMACEUTICAL FORMULATION

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response transmittal in the above-identified application.

[]	Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
	Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
[X]	No fee for additional claims is required.
	A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

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1	AMENDMENT	PAID FOR	E	XTRA						
TOTAL CLAIMS	* Minus	** =		0	x	\$ 9	\$	1		x \$ 18 \$
INDEP. CLAIMS	* Minus	*** =		0	x	\$ 42	\$			x \$ 84 \$
[ ] FIRST PRESE	ENTATION OF	MULTIPLE	DEP.	CLAIM	+	\$140	\$	1		+ \$280 \$
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TOTAL:

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- If the entry in Co. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- \*\*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- Also transmitted herewith are:

[X] Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (in duplicate)

[ ] Other:

- [X] Check(s) in the amount of \$930.00 is/are attached to cover:
  - [ ] Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
  - [X] Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136

[ ] Other:

- [X] The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
  - [X] Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17. [X]

Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check-submitted herewith, [X] and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR

1.136.

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